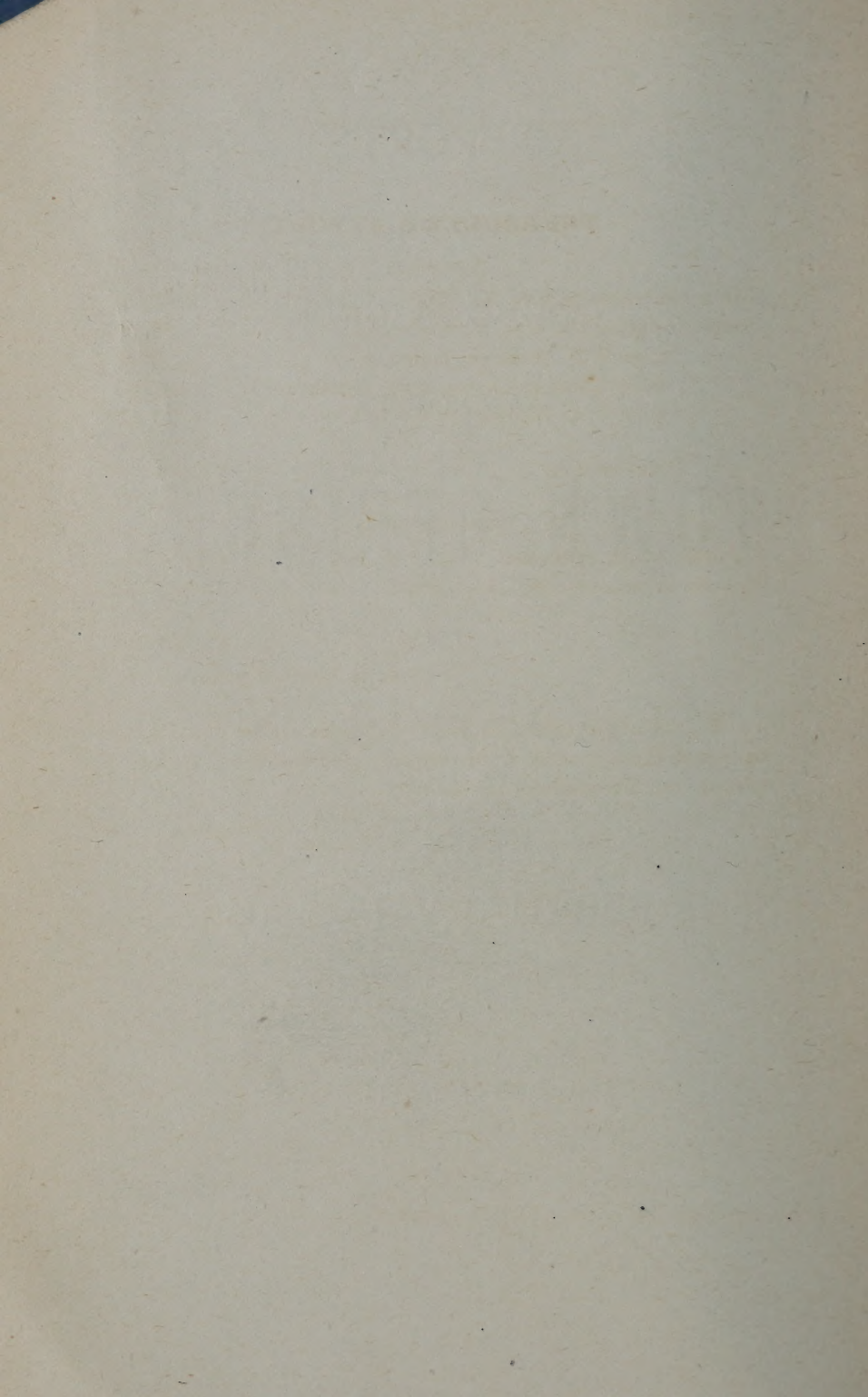


REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN
AND OTHER
TOWN OFFICERS
OF
GOSHEN
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1906

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TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Money in treasury, Feb. 15, 1905	\$165 79
Received during the year, from selectmen	83 29
" from S. D. Maxham, collector	2,850 78
" from Solon A. Carter, state treasurer	197 99
" from F. L. Hanson, town clerk	76 31
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Total receipts	\$3,374 16

DISBURSEMENTS

By order of the selectmen	\$3,118 98
Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1906	255 18
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	\$3,374 16

ORRA S. LEAR, Treasurer

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Goshen, have examined the accounts of the treasurer and find them correctly cast, and his vouchers satisfactory.

F. W. PIKE	} Auditors
J. W. ROGERS	

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY APRIL 1, 1905

Polls, 92	\$9,200 00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings	103,450 00
Horses, 145	9,118 00
Oxen, 22	1 262 00
Cows, 264	6,580 00
Other neat stock, 102	1,830 00
Sheep, 118	326 00
Fowls, 290	116 00
Stock in banks	1,600 00
Money on hand, at interest or on deposit	1,375 00
Stock in trade	5,274 00
Mills and machinery	1,450 00
Total	<hr/> \$141,581 00

TAXES ASSESSED

State tax	\$246 50
County tax	412 59
School tax	635 00
Library tax and catalogues	35 00
Town tax	600 00
Highway tax	800 00
Repairs on town hall	150 00
Repairs on school houses	25 00
Per cent added	90 66
Total	<hr/> \$2,994 75

Rate of taxation, \$2.10 on \$100.

RECEIPTS

Railroad tax from state treasurer	\$ 7 74
Savings banks tax "	157 25
Literary fund "	33 00
Town of Salisbury for Daniel Silver	68 00
P. F. George for brick	1 62
J. C. Lewis, old bridge plank	75
L. S. Chamberlain, paint returned	13
H. F. Nelson, lime	74
Property sold for taxes, redeemed	12 05
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Total	\$281 28

ABATEMENTS

From list of 1902	\$ 7 06
" 1903	3 80
" 1904	19 74
" 1905	8 40
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Total	\$39 00

DISBURSEMENTS

Highways and Bridges

E. A. Robinson, bridge plank	\$88 99
Geo. F. Crane, bridge stringers	10 00
H. H. Sholes "	12 00
L. F. Robbins "	4 00
Silsby and Johnson, drain tile	10 08
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Total	\$125 07
District 1 H. P. Trow, surveyor	\$14 00
" 2 S. D. Maxham "	32 82
" 3&17 H. F. Nelson "	41 46
" 4 J. S. Pike "	57 25
" 5 G. B. Bartlett "	52 47
" 6 H. B. Babb "	55 15

District	7	Wm. T. Thissell, Surveyor	\$21 45
"	7	E. W. Pike	3 00
"	8	E. S. Robinson	13 80
"	9	F. W. Pike	34 70
"	10	W. E. Howe	27 00
"	11	A. W. Knights	32 50
"	12	R. E. Mulgrove	9 05
"	13	J. Loudon	19 00
"	14	Fred Knights	20 40
"	15	John B. Gocha	36 02
"	16	A. S. Chamberlain	7 44
"	18	E. A. Purington	38 57
Total for highways			<hr/> \$516 08

BREAKING ROADS, SPRING 1905

Abraham Boisvert	\$7 80
Alton S. Chamberlain	1 00
H. P. Trow	8 05
S. D. Maxham	38 27
J. B. Gocha	9 37
W. L. Ritchie	9 38
R. E. Mulgrove	4 96
John Loudon	6 30
O. E. Farr	2 45
E. A. Purington	2 12
B. Booth	2 50
H. B. Babb	7 05
Total	<hr/> \$99 25
Total for highways and bridges	\$740 40

MISCELLANEOUS

J. B. Gocha, carrying Mrs. Kempton to county farm	\$2 50
Edson C. Eastman, books and stationery	4 52

Myo Bowman, storing road machine	\$ 50
S. D. Maxham, property sold for taxes	45 03
Mrs. A. F. Lear, library books	25 00
H. B. Russell, library catalogues	12 50
P. F. George on account of Daniel Silver	52 00
L. S. Chamberlain, supplies	1 21
Ida L. Nelson, keeping tramp	75
Repairs on road machine	3 56
O. H. Chase, printing check list	3 50
Barton & Wheeler, printing town reports	15 00
J. S. Maxfield, paint for cemetery fence	5 30
I. F. Blodgett, burying horse	50
O. E. Farr, keeping tramp	75
H. F. Nelson, keeping tramps	1 50
E. A. Purington, keeping tramp	75
F. E. Lovell, surveyors' books	1 12
E. W. Pike, watering tub	2 00
E. T. Scranton "	3 00
Eliza Eaton "	2 00
B. Booth, repairing town sleigh	75
" interest on note	11 00
A. W. Knights, sheep killed by dogs	4 00
E. T. Scranton, "	5 00
O. A. Leer, shop work	3 10
E. S. Robinson, 1 cord of wood for hall	4 50
Rev. J. Hooper, returning a marriage	25
F. L. Hanson, recording marriages, births, deaths	3 55
" copying and returning vital statistics	
from old records	29 85
" supplies and postage	5 50
H. F. Nelson, perambulating town line	1 50
E. A. Purington, "	1 50
F. P. Jones, returning births and deaths	1 50
L. S. Chamberlain, note and interest	213 20
Total	<hr/> \$468 19

TOWN OFFICERS

John Gocha, services as selectman after Feb. 15, 1905	\$2 75
R. T. Maxfield, sexton	11 50
E. W. Pike "	18 75
H. P. Trow "	7 00
Burk Booth, driving hearse	21 00
F. W. Pike, supervisor	3 00
A. R. Moody "	3 00
A. M. Lear, dog constable	3 00
J. W. Rogers, truant officer	5 00
E. S. Robinson, member of school board	12 00
Grace A. Moody "	10 00
Emma A. Sholes "	8 00
H. B. Russell, librarian	10 00
S. D. Maxham, collecting taxes, 1904	5 00
" " 1905	35 00
Orra S. Lear, town treasurer	15 00
F. L. Hanson, town clerk	15 00
B. F. Lear, janitor of town hall	4 50
E. W. Pike "	1 00
E. A. Purington, overseer of poor	2 00
H. F. Nelson, selectman	28 00
E. A. Purington "	22 50
O. E. Farr "	27 75
Auditors	2 00
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Total	\$272 75

REPAIRS ON TOWN HALL

E. W. Hurd, drawing brick	\$ 3 20
H. F. Nelson, labor and material	37 98
Abraham Roberts, laying chimney	8 75
Adolphus Roberts, plastering	32 00
Joseph Grace, painting	5 00
L. S. Chamberlain, paint and sundries	12 33
W. R. Nelson, labor	5 00

Nourse Hardware Company, door for chimney	\$ 75
Rand, Ball & King, c. plaster	4 00
H. B. Russell, freight and cartage	1 20
E. S. Robinson, lumber	10 35
E. A. Purington, labor	27 12
F. P. Rowell, brick, lime, cement, etc.	22 15
Silsby & Johnson, stovepipe	1 25
Cong. Repair Association, 5 casks of lime	6 75
Total	<hr/> \$177 83

SHINGLING TOWN HOUSE

F. P. Rowell, 8 1-2 M. shingles	\$27 63
E. Hurd, drawing shingles	1 00
“ shingling	1 50
W. H. Royce, “	2 40
W. R. Nelson “	1 20
A. M. Lear “	3 30
G. B. Bartlett “	1 25
Total	<hr/> \$38 28

SCHOOLS

E. E. Babb & Co., school supplies	\$2 25
Ginn & Co., school books	9 03
Orra S. Lear, treasurer	734 15
E. S. Robinson, school books	17 01
Total	<hr/> \$762 44

PAID

L. S. Chamberlain, note	\$213 20
State tax	246 50
County tax	412 59
Schools	762 44
Highways and bridges	740 40
Miscellaneous	254 99

Repairs on town hall	\$216 11
Town officers	272 75
Total	<u>\$3,118 98</u>

ASSETS

Due from S. D. Maxham, collector 1905	\$482 10
" M. C. Gregg, S. B. Trow estate	85 00
" town of Salisbury	19 00
" Carleton Crane, tax	6 60
" Sullivan county,	33 34
sale of unredeemed lands	32 98
" " " from 1905 report	48 92
" cash in treasury	43 68
" " permanent road fund	211 50
Total	<u>\$963 12</u>

LIABILITIES

Burk Booth, note	\$275 00
Balance in favor of town	<u>\$688 12</u>

Respectfully submitted,

H. F. NELSON	} Selectmen of Goshen
E. A. PURINGTON	
O. E. FARR	

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Goshen, have examined the accounts of the selectmen and find them correctly cast and their vouchers satisfactory.

F. W. PIKE	} Auditors
J. W. ROGERS	

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

There have been no contagious diseases during the year past.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED P. JONES, M D.	} Board of health
ORRA S. LEAR	
JAMES W. ROGERS	

REPORT OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

We are glad to report increased interest in our library and a larger circulation of its books. Our librarian informs us that more books have been called for and read during the past year than ever before. Fifty new volumes have been added during the year, forty-four by purchase and six by gift. A large donation of books is generously offered by H. H. Halliday of Boston, on condition that a suitable place be provided for them. We have now about six hundred volumes, and even the natural growth of the library will very soon render larger accommodations absolutely necessary. We wish that the necessary steps might be taken to secure the same. The new catalogues furnished last spring are giving good satisfaction.

W. T. THISSELL	} Library committee
ALTHINE F. LEAR	
HOBART B. RUSSELL	
EMMA A. SHOLES	
A. RALPH MOODY	

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mar. 1905	Money on hand	\$ 16
Oct. 24	Received of town for purchase of books	25 00
Total receipts		<hr/> \$25 16
Nov. 30	Paid for books	\$23 15
Dec. 29	Freight on books	50
Feb. 14	Paid for book	1 50
15	Cash on hand	01
Total expenditures and available assets		<hr/> \$25 16
ALTHINE F. LEAR, Treasurer		

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

To the inhabitants of Goshen School District:

The School Board submits its annual report—

Whole number of terms taught, 10.

Div. No. 1, 1st term, 10 weeks, taught by Ginevra E. Bailey

2nd	"	12	"	"
2, 1st	"	10	"	Georgia Gocha
2nd	"	12	"	"
3, 1st	"	10	"	Beulah Peaslee
2nd	"	12	"	"
4, 1st	"	10	"	Maud Mitchell
2nd	"	12	"	"
5, 1st	"	10	"	Mollie Chamberlain
2nd	"	12	"	"

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Div. No. 1, first term—Imri G. Crane, Alfred Bablos, Robert Smith, Charlie Maxham. Second term—Imri G. Crane.

Div. No. 2, first term—Louise Richardson, Alice Gocha. Second term—Everett Miller, Alice Gocha.

Div. No. 4, first term—Edna L. Chamberlain, Daisy B. Nichols, Helen M. Sholes, Frank Lear. Second term—Laura Roberts, George Guillow.

Div. No. 5, first term, Howard D. Bailey, William A. Chamberlain, Mildred C. Scranton. Second term—William A. Chamberlain, Mildred C. Scranton.

Mostly teachers of experience have been employed the past year, who labored with interest and conscientiously for the pupils of whom they had charge. A marked progress was made in all of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

E. S. ROBINSON	}	School Board of Goshen
GRACE A. MOODY		
EMMA A. SHOLES		

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Money in treasury Feb. 15, 1905	\$44 13
Received during the year from town treasurer	734 15
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Total receipts	\$778 28

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR

By order of school board	\$765 21
Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1906	13 07
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	\$778 28

ORRA S. LEAR, School Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the town of Goshen, have examined the accounts of the school treasurer and find them correctly cast and find his vouchers satisfactory.

F. W. PIKE	}	Auditors.
J. W. ROGERS		

Births Registered in the Town of Goshen for the year Ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (If any)	Sex and Con.		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
			Male	Female								
1905												
Feb. 11	Goshen	Crosby	M		1 Frank W. Crosby	Ida M. Colburn	Goshen	Farmer	Bucksport, Me.	Cornish, N. H.		
17		LaFrance	F		5 Henry LaFrance	Susan A. K. Davis	"	Teamster	New York	Falmouth Mass		
20		Ivan E. Scrant'n	M		3 Edgar T. Scranton	Jennie J. Lombard	"	Farmer	New York	New York		
May 5		Lucy E. Russell	F		3 Hobart B. Russell	Inez V. Knights	"	F & M'm'n	Newport, N. H.	Goshen, N. H.		
June 16		Booth	F		1 Horace M. Booth	Eva E. McLaughlin	"	Blacksmith	Montgom'y Vt.	Acworth, N. H.		
July 19		Chapman	M		2 Chas. R. Chapman	Wilhelmine Robert	"	Farmer	Altona, N. Y.	W. Farm'g, P. O.		
Aug. 14		Gilbert F. Pike	M		6 Willie E. Howe	Hattie Dandrow	"	Farmer	Hopkint'n, N. H.	Ellenburg, N. Y.		
Sept. 12			M		2 John G. Pike	Mabel Bryson	"	Farmer	Newbury, N. H.	E Boston Mass		
Oct. 21			M			Mabel F. Krook	"			Bath, N. H.		

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goshen for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of groom and bride	Place of birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No of Marriage	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married
Apr. 9	E. Lemps'r, N. H.	Horace M. Booth	Goshen		Blacksmith	Goshen NH	Burk Booth	Unity	Blacksmith	First	
		W'helm'e Robert	Goshen			wF'h'mPQ	Abraham Matheson	Charlestown	Mason		
							Omisme Boisvert	St. Gregory, Can			
Oct. 12	Goshen, N. H.	Perley R. Howe	Goshen		Laborer	Goshen NH	Willie E. Howe	Henniker	Farmer		
		Lena W. Peaslee	Bradford		Housework	Conc'd NH	Minnie V. Colby	Bradford Conn.	Laborer		
							George Peaslee				
							Stena W. Lovejoy				

Deaths Registered in the Town of Goshen for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	S & C		Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months		Male	Female					
1905				Days								
Jan. 10	Goshen	William Beck	81	3	Goshen	M	F	Farmer	Goshen	Sunapee	John Beck	Polly Clapp
Feb. 17		Bertha M. Richards'n	3	5	"	F	D	Ho'ekeep'r	Newport	Goshen	Sullivan G. Pike	Ellen L. Stevens
Feb. 21		Margaret J. Jones	72	11	"	F	M		Goshen	Newbury	Tobias Lear	Margaret Chandler
Mar. 26		Margaret Crosby	17	4	"	F	M		Bucksport, Me.	Falm'th Mass	Frank W. Crosby	Susan A. K. Davis
Mar. 14		Euphena Forristall	82	7	Sunapee	F	M	Farmer	Deering	N'port Mass.	Joshua Bartlett	Martha Chase
Apr. 14		Geo. C. Purrington	57	9	Goshen	F	M	Farmer	Henniker	Strafford, Vt.	John Purrington	Caroline Cloggston
Apr. 21		Ann E. Ray	61	9	"	F	M	Ho'ekeep'r	Goshen	Newport	Emerson Stevens	Elizabeth Lund
Sept. 18		Jonathan Ingalls	89	2	"	M	F	Farmer	Acworth	Goshen	Sewell Ingalls	Clarissa Hudson
Oct. 23		Adeline W. Stevens	86	9	Bakersfield, Vt.	F	M	Housewife	Sandwich, Mass	Barnard, Vt.	Thomas Rupper	Sarah Aiken
		Gilbert Francis Pike	86	9	Goshen	M	M		Newbury	Bath, N. H.	John G. Pike	Mabel F. Krook

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief,
FRANK L. HANSON, Town Clerk.

